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 Reference to sequence listing, a table, CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or or a computer program listing appendix Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) c. Statements verifying identity of above copies - Detailed Description ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS - Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure 9. 🗹 Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of 4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets _ Power of 10. (when there is an assignee) Attorney 5. Oath or Declaration [Total Sheets 11. English Translation Document (if applicable) a. Newly executed (original or copy) Information Disclosure Copies of IDS 12. Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) 13. **Preliminary Amendment** (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed) Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) 14. 🗸 (Should be specifically itemized) <u>DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)</u> Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) 15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) name in the prior application, see 37 CFR 16. 🔽 Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent. 6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 17. 🗸 Other: Powers of Attorney -7 18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in the first sentence of the specification following the title, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76: Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: Prior application information: Prior application information: Examiner Art Unit:

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1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
Extra Claims below Fee Paid	1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee		
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Title	FACE SHIE	LD ASSEMB	LY		*	_	
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